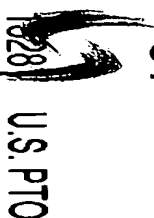




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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Nobuhiro MIYAKAWA
 TONER, PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF, AND IMAGE FORMING
 APPARATUS USING SAME
Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION
 Our Ref. Q79765



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising one-hundred and forty-eight (148) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and eight (8) sheets of drawings. **The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.** Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>24</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>4</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$72.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>5</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>2</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$172.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>

TOTAL FEE**\$1014.00**

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2003-029630	February 6, 2003
Japan	2003-109936	April 15, 2003

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.Respectfully submitted,
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